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STATE REALTY BOARD

Cook County Real Estate Board Takes Steps to Organize One.

A movement has been started by the Cook County Real Estate Board looking to the organization of a statewide association of real estate boards. At its monthly meeting the following resolution was adopted:

"Whereas, Unity and co-operation is the watchword of the present day; and

"Whereas, There is an urgent need for this unity and co-operation among real estate brokers and real estate owners throughout the state of Illinois;

"Therefore, Be It Resolved, That the Cook County Real Estate Board take immediate steps to bring about a state organization of real estate boards throughout the state of Illinois.

"Be It further Resolved, That the president of the Cook County Real Estate Board carry out the purpose of this resolution."

LOWER GAS RATES

Samuel Insull Makes an Appeal to the City Council on the Subject.

Samuel Insull, chairman of the board of directors of the gas company, addressed an appeal to the council committee on gas, oil, and electric light asking immediate consideration of the company's proposal to lower rates in return for permission to sell gas on heat unit instead of the present candle power basis.

"If it is the intention of your committee to withhold a decision upon the question of a change to a heat unit standard until after the valuation of the company's property is completed," Mr. Insull says in his letter,

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SMITH FOR 'HOME RULE'

Candidate for Governor Writes Medill McCormick About It.

Col. Frank L. Smith of Dwight, Republican candidate for the governorship nomination, in reply to a letter from Medill McCormick, comes out in favor of "home rule," a state budget system, a constitutional convention and an economy and efficiency reorganization of the state's business system.

"Let me say at the outset that I believe in the general principle of 'home rule,'" wrote Col. Smith.

"Chicago, like the state in general, is suffering from a lack of concentration of her efforts. She has too many spending agencies; too many boards and commissions. In so far as the state can do so, it should help Chicago to the authority to consolidate her municipal undertakings. You say truly that the special legislation asked by Chicago is a chronic burden upon the assembly. For the sake of the city, in which the whole state has a just pride, and for the sake of the remainder of the state as well, Chicago should be enabled to do for herself the things that affect her welfare exclusively, and should relieve the rest of the state from controversy over such matters. I do not believe the whole state should be made to suffer a headache every time Chicago has an indigestion.

"Coming to the specific question of Chicago's control of her public utilities, taken from her by the public utilities act, my position is that first of all there should be no jurisdictional conflicts in the public service, either between two agencies of the state or between an agency of the state and a municipality of the state. Jurisdictional conflict inevitably means neglected duties.

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